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FROM

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SUBJECT

Coro Foundation Fellows Visit to Washington

As I mentioned on the telephone to a member of your office, the Coro Foundation will send 24 participants of its Fellowship Program on Public Affairs to Washington the week of April 23-30.

The Coro Foundation is a non-profit educational foundation sponsoring a number of programs at the post-graduate level. The Fellowship Program is nationally recognized with centers in New York City, San Francisco and St. Louis.

The Foundation spent one week in Washington last Spring, and we are assisting in the organization of another program in April. The foci of discussion will be Presidential initiatives towards public and private sector partnerships and growth in the Defense Budget. An adjunct to the Defense question concerns the Soviet threat to American security as perceived by the intelligence community, and (1) thought that a briefing (at) CIA would be very educational and interesting for this group.

The students have spent a good deal of time in preparation for their time in Washington; I believe that you can expect a lively and enthusiastic audience. The students will also have an ear for the "personal angle" of department operation. Because many of these students move on to public service, you can anticipate questions concerning the "ins and outs" of daily routine in the CIA.

I attach copies of a brochure describing the Coro Foundation, and you may expect a phone call from Jim Schoning at Coro in a week or so. I appreciate your assistance. Please call me if I can be of any help.

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